RG104 E-1 Box 159

PROPRIETOR,
JOSEPH WHARTON,
Post Office Address,
BOX 1332, PHILADELPHIA.

AMERICAN NICKEL WORKS,

Camden, N. J., Oct 17 1889

Hon D. M. Fox, Supt. U. S. Mint

Dear Sir

If you can inform me within a few days whether the Mint wishes me to deliver the 50 000 lbs. of bronze blanks still due to it under my contract, I should be obliged by your doing so.

The bronze alloy used for this purpose has no other use, and it must be prepared in time to go through its various processes before the Mint is in want of blanks. Counting on the order being given for that final 50.000 lbs. (since I had been informed that you meant to ask for authority to order it) a part of the alloy has been made.

There still remain to be delivered to the Mint by me on existing orders

Nickel-copper	5 ct. blanks	9.500 lbs.
Bronze	1 ct. "	14.100 "

This reckons as delivered the blanks which had left the factory up to last night

The above named 5 ct blanks fill my contract; the above named bronze fill existing order, and leave due by me on contract 50.000 lbs.

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